

MARTIAL RULE IN FORCE IN MADRID

Tokio Passes First Quake-Free Night Since September 1

Tokio, September 13 (AP)—Tokio was on the faces of people today as they had passed their first night free from earthquakes since the first of September...

TRAVELING MAN IS KILLED AT AXTON CROSS

Axton, Va., September 13.—Liam E. Crozier of Baltimore, traveling salesman who was killed by Danville and Western train Monday afternoon at 1:05 p. m. at Axton, Va., died at 4:00 p. m. at the General Hospital shortly after he was taken there for treatment...

Crozier was traveling from Axton to Martinsville at the time of the accident, and eyewitnesses that he approached the railroad crossing at Axton at great speed. He saw the train some three hundred feet before he reached the crossing and applied the brakes immediately, but so great was his momentum, he slid 100 feet onto the crossing just in front of the train.

The train was not going at great speed and managed to stop within a short distance.

The Gardner roadster which Crozier was driving was practically demolished and it took the train crew 20 minutes to remove the wreckage so that the train could proceed. The pilot of the engine was torn out.

The injured man was placed aboard the train and it proceeded to Danville. Doctors were waiting at the station to administer first aid and an ambulance took the man to the General Hospital where he died a few minutes later.

ALLEN COUNCIL DEAD IN CYCLE-AUTO CRASH

Hickory, September 12.—Allen B. Council, 20, is dead and Prontis George, Cherryville was badly injured as a result of a collision between a motorcycle and an automobile at 5:30 yesterday afternoon a mile and a half on the Central highway towards Newton.

The two young men on the motorcycle which Council was driving, had just passed a car coming in the direction of Hickory when they ran head on into an automobile occupied by B. B. Osborne of Raleigh and driven by Miss Inez Yoder of Newton. Osborne from all accounts ran his machine off the highway in order to avoid the collision and he and his companion were in no wise at fault.

It was said that young Council was looking back at another motorcycle occupied by Ralph Hutton and Miles Sherrill when the collision occurred. The first motorcycle swung around an incoming car and met the Raleigh machine before its driver had time to more than sound a warning. Council who was the son of former Judge and Mrs. W. B. Council was a student at the university last term and was planned to return next week. Prontis George is a son of John J. George of Cherryville. He sustained a broken leg and other injuries the seriousness of which could not be learned today.

The impact wrecked the motorcycle and damaged the automobile. Osborne who is topping at a local hotel was suffering from shock today and Miss Yoder who sustained cuts on the arm, also needed the attention of a physician.

SEVERAL INJURED BY RECKLESS CAR DRIVERS

Monroe, September 13.—The Journal says that Sunday night when John Outen with his sister-in-law, Miss Annie Bass and three children started to attend church at the brush arbor at the Tindle place driving in a surry, from the home of J. G. Bass on the Redfern place west of town, a Ford crashed into the rear of the surry and Mr. Outen and his son were thrown out from the front seat upon the mule they were driving. This frightened the mule so that it made a lunge and broke loose from the shafts. Mr. Outen was entangled in the gear and dragged some distance. The rear of the surry was smashed and Miss Bass was painfully bruised more or less. The Ford in which two negroes and a white man were said to be riding never stopped at all and the sheriff who was summoned to the scene could find no clue as to their identity.

The Journal also says that while driving from Charlotte Sunday night Dr. J. A. Ward witnessed a most brutal manifestation of recklessness and cruelty by automobile drivers. Dr. Ward came upon a car by the roadside two miles this side of Matthews in which a man and his wife were riding. The car had some slight defect and Dr. Ward helped them get started. Just as they drove off down the road towards Monroe a large car came tearing down the road from towards Charlotte at high speed and taking the road with the utmost recklessness. In a whiff the big car had run into the little one and smashed it. The driver paused only long enough to see that serious damage had been done and then drove on, without offering assistance or making its identity known. It was found that the woman had been terribly injured her back being perhaps broken. Dr. Ward got her into a passing car at once and sent her to a hospital in Charlotte. He did not get the name of either party but did get the car number and reported the same to Sheriff Fowler who sent them to the Mecklenburg officials.

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MAILED IMPROPER MATTER

Danville, Va., September 13.—Federal warrants were issued today against Annie Tate Fields and Willie Dryman both residents of Schoolfield charged with mailing improper matter in one of the city mail boxes. Officers working on the case declined to divulge the evidence pending a preliminary hearing.

PART WARD JURY IS CHOSEN

White Plains, N. Y., September 12.—The jury box was half filled on the first day of the trial of Walter G. Ward wealthy baker's son charged with having murdered Clarence B. Peters of Haverhill, Mass., a former marine who was found shot dead near the Kensico reservoir, 13 months ago.

THREE OTHER NEWMAN KILLERS FOUND GUILTY

Atlanta, Ga., September 13.—Three more men were sentenced to serve prison terms at Newnan, Ga., late yesterday in connection with the death of Edward Trouton. Floyd Weldon was found guilty of murder with recommendation for mercy and was sentenced to life in prison. Jack Hunter and Leon Goodrum entered pleas of guilty to manslaughter and were sentenced to serve three years according to Solicitor General W. Y. Attkisson.

Walter Peitman the solicitor declared the only other man accused of murder in the Trouton case was charged with conspiracy and was sentenced to go to jail in Newnan today.

J. W. Minter father-in-law of Trouton was convicted last week of manslaughter and was sentenced to be hanged at Newnan next month. Minter was sentenced to life in prison following his conviction by a jury.

Weldon went on trial today. He denied any complicity in the death of Trouton. Solicitor Attkisson declared that Weldon had been in the car at the time of the murder. Weldon confessed to having thrown Trouton alive into a shallow creek after weighing him down with rocks. He said he did not know the purpose of the party when he joined it. Mr. Attkisson stated that Sheriff Carpenter as a witness related that other members of the party told him that Weldon aided in securing heavy rocks to weigh down Trouton. One of the stones was placed by Weldon, according to Mr. Attkisson was tied to Trouton's head.

Trouton was accused by Minter and members of his family of having mistreated his wife. She separated from him and when she made an effort to effect a reconciliation, according to confessions obtained, he was kidnapped and taken to a small bridge spanning the creek and thrown into the water. His body was recovered several days later.

BONDS ISSUED

Washington, September 13 (AP)—Authority granted the Seaboard Air-Line by Interstate Commerce Commission to issue eight hundred and nine thousand dollars first and consolidated six percent mortgage bonds to be used as security for government loans already made.

FIGHTERS READY FOR BOUT TOMORROW EVENING

New York, September 13. (AP)—Fitzo woke up in New York within 30 minutes ride of the ring in the Polo Grounds, where tomorrow he will attempt to take from Dempsey the heavy-weight championship of the world. Dempsey was still in his cottage at Saratoga Springs but will come to New York today. The followers and trainers of both men stated that the battles were in the line of condition possible. The fight will be about a million, three hundred thousand dollars will be all over before the gates are opened Friday morning if the promoters guess is right.

EXPLANATION GIVEN TO DESTRUCTION OF DESTROYERS

Washington, September 13 (AP)—General Countz commanding the United States fleet reported to the Navy Department that no adequate explanation had been given for the unusual position of the seven American destroyers when they were wrecked on the California coast on Saturday night. He declared the destroyers was far off its prescribed course and was steaming in a fog at 20 knots.

GENERAL PERSEING INVITED

Rocky Mount, September 13.—General John J. Pershing head of the American army and Mrs. Edith Vanderbilt president of the North Carolina state fair have been invited to attend the Rocky Mount fair Wednesday October 3rd, it was announced today by the fair association of officials.

LONE WHITE YOUTH HOLDS UP BANK

Shreveport, La., September 13.—The Bank of Moorings Port, La., 17 miles north of here was robbed of between \$2,000 and \$4,000 at noon today by a lone white youth apparently about 20 years of age who after locking the cashier Charles B. Moore and his assistant Minter Parson in the bank vault escaped in an automobile.

FOR SALE—\$15.00 each. Llewellyn setter puppies. Best of breeding. C. W. McMohan, Ridgeway, Va.

Army Is In Revolt While The Navy Is Still Standing Pat

Madrid, September 13 (AP)—Army officers at Barcelona have revolted and martial law has been declared. Rank and file of the army have joined in revolt but the navy personnel is quiet.

Barcelona, September 13 (AP)—The state of seige proclaimed here at 11:15 o'clock this morning and Catalan military authorities took possession of power in the city. It is stated here that several garrisons notably those in Madrid, Saragossa and Seville have adhered to the military movement which now must be recognized as regular Coup d'Etat. It is reported Santiago Alba minister of foreign affairs is under arrest at Saragossa.

COAL MERCHANTS RAP PINCHOT PLAN

Washington, September 13.—The National Retail Coal Merchants association through Roderick Stephens, chairman of its governmental relations committee today pledged its co-operation to the government in the effort to effect stable conditions in the industry and to prevent profiteering in the sale of anthracite.

TWO MASKED MEN BEAT AND ROB YOUNG MESSENGER BOY

Philadelphia, September 13 (AP)—Two masked bandits beat Gustave Fridell, 16 year old messenger boy and robbed him of \$50,000 worth of jewelry in the doorway of the firm he worked for. The men escaped in a taxi-cab.

SPOTS ON SUN TODAY

White Plains, N. Y. September 13 (AP)—Dr. David Todd director of Emeritus College has discovered fresh outbreak of spots which will be nearly central on the sun's disc today or tomorrow.

ATTEMPT IS MADE AT NON-STOP FLIGHT

Houston, Texas, September 13.—Parker Cramer hopped off at 6:14 o'clock this morning at Ellington Field near here in an attempt to shatter the Gulf of Canada in a non-stop flight record made recently by Lt. Scotty Croker.

FLORA MACDONALD OPENS

Red Springs, September 13.—Flora Macdonald opened for the fall term today. The board of trustees will meet here on Friday morning to discuss matters in connection with the further expansion of the college. The General Alumnae association has been active during the past weeks in carrying out the college beautiful plan under the direction of Mrs. W. E. Sikes.

\$30,000 FIRE IN MARTINSVILLE

Danville, Va., September 13.—Fire which broke out in the Virginia Furniture factory Martinsville yesterday did damage estimated at about \$30,000 a quantity of finished goods being destroyed. Water also did a good deal of damage. It was stated that the fire would not hinder plans already drawn for an expansion of the factory and the addition of \$100,000 to its capital stock.

Coach Tenney at the high school said yesterday that he would like to see everybody in Leaksville-Spray who is interested in the high school football team, come out some evening and watch the teams practice. Come out and see how a football team is made. Its interesting.

PERSONALS

Misses Gwendolyn Hampton and Esther Baughn and French have returned to Greensboro to renew their studies at the State College.

Miss Kathleen Walker of Greensboro is in town having dental work done.

Mr. J. Allen Steagall of Martinsville was in town attending the Fair last night.

Mrs. Robert Lewis Parrish of Covington, Va., and Mrs. Fannie Guerrant of Greensboro are the house guests of Mrs. B. Frank Mebane.

Mrs. S. L. Martin and Mrs. S. L. Martin Jr., spent Tuesday in Greensboro shopping.

Mrs. J. B. Ray was hostess to the Bridge Club Tuesday afternoon.

The Border Book Club met with Miss Merriweather Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Peter Osborne who has been on the sick list for several days is improving.

The members of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Presbyterian church motored over to Greensboro Monday morning and had luncheon with Mrs. W. R. Walker of Bessemer Avenue—one of their members who has recently moved to the Gate City. After a most delectable luncheon had been served the meeting was called to order by the President Mrs. Hiram Foad. The subject for the afternoon was Japan and there were many interesting discussions about the Mission fields in the far away land of Nippon which has recently been so terribly devastated by earthquakes, fire and flood. A liberal offering was taken for Foreign Missions and the meeting was closed with sentence prayers. After a most delightful season of spiritual and social intercourse the ladies reluctantly bade their charming hostess farewell and turned their faces homeward. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Godfrey on the Boulevard.

Mr. W. W. Hampton's residence on Washington street is nearing completion.

Mr. Numa R. Reid of Wentworth is a visitor in town today.

Don't forget to buy some sandwiches sold by the rhurel women at the Rockingham county Fair.

A number of ladies from Danville, Reidsville and Greensboro are in town today attending the Rockingham county Fair.

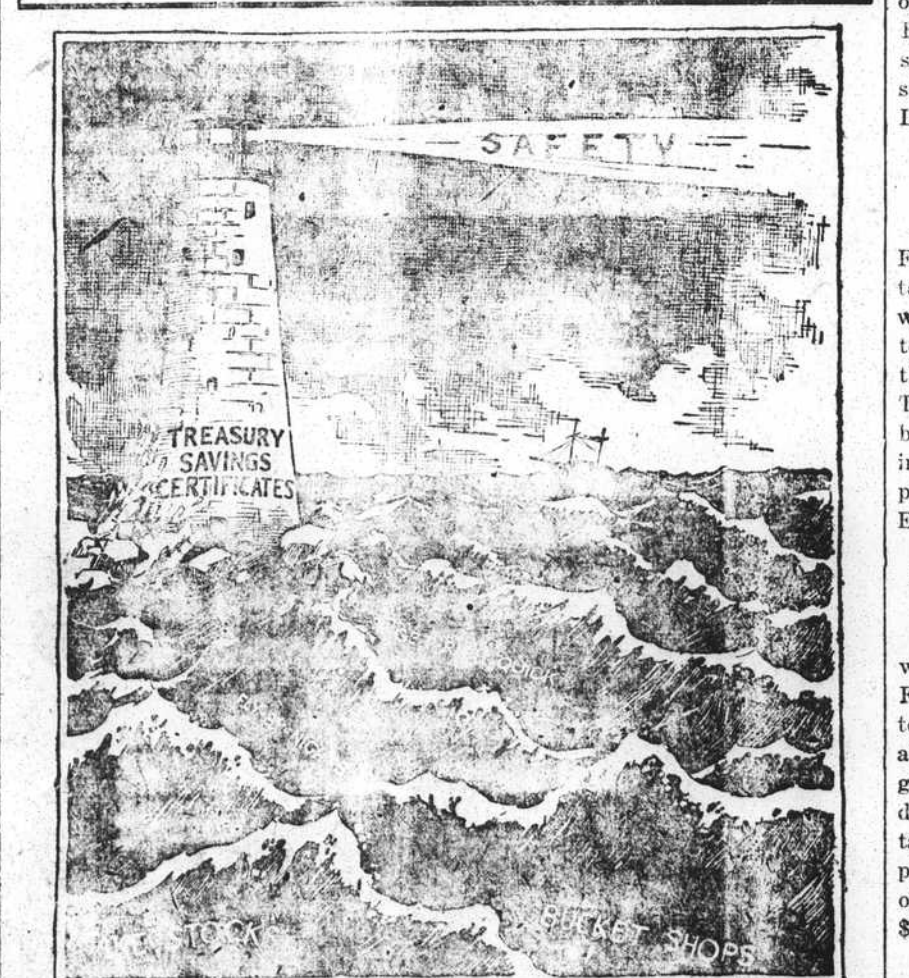
CHRISTIAN UNITY

Miss Lena Hancock, an earnest and devoted Methodist leader and well known community nurse, of the most inspiring nobility of character, drove up to the residence of Wm. J. Gordon, the Episcopal minister, who lives at Carolina Heights yesterday, and left the Ford roadster, belonging to the Presbyterian Church with the request from Rev. John S. Cooke, Presbyterian minister, that Mr. Gordon use it while Mr. Cooke was away on his wedding trip. Mr. Gordon had left his Ford up in the mountains for the use of his family until their return.

Miss Elizabeth S. Gordon left Tuesday morning to join Mrs. W. J. Gordon and children at Arden near Asheville for a short vacation.

THE GAZETTE IN EVERY HOME

UNCLE SAM'S SAFETY SIGNAL



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